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Applicants: EHNERT et al

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Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, acknowledge receipt of an office action mailed December 22, 2003, in connection with the above-identified application. However, since the status of claim 26 is unclear, issuance of a revised office action and restarting of the period for response are requested.

It is noted that claims 1 - 26 are pending in the application and that the office action summary (PTOL-326) indicates claims 1 - 26 to be rejected. However, neither the statement of the rejection in numbered section 16 of the office action or the statement of the rejection in numbered section 17 of the office action mentions claim 26. Therefore, it is not clear if or how claim 26 is rejected.

Issuance of a revised office action clarifying the status of claim 26 is requested.

It is also requested that the period for response be restarted to begin with the mailing date of the revised office action.

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Respectfully submitted,

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